



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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GROUP ART UNIT 3723
EXAMINER Debra S. Meislin
ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO. 46206.0008
TITLE "Split-Tip Screwdriver With Protective Sleeve"

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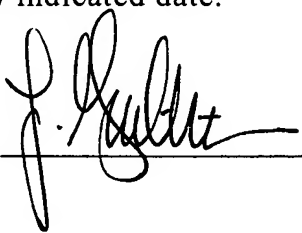
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In response to the Office action dated 18 April 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.